

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

March 27, 2007

Applicant: Hideto YOSHIDA et al

Title: FINE PARTICLE SEPARATION TREATMENT SYSTEM  
AND CYCLONE SEPARATOR

Serial No.: 10/821 152

Group: 1723

Confirmation No.: 8976

Filed: April 8, 2004

Examiner: Reifsnyder

Atty. Docket No.: 4900.P0046US

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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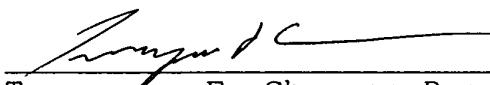
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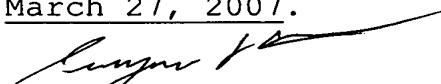
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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 28, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

(Please see following pages.)

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